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## BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Werner BERGER, Friedmann WEISS,  
Bernhard STASCHEIT  
RACK, IN PARTICULAR FOR CABLE TELEVISION  
**Assignee: ALCATEL, FUBA COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS GmbH**  
Our Ref. Q67057

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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 6 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and 2 sheets of drawings. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>6 - 20</u>	= _____ x \$18.00 =	<u>\$0.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>1 - 3</u>	= _____ x \$84.00 =	<u>\$0.00</u>
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**TOTAL FEE**

**\$740.00**

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$740.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from November 11, 2000 based on Germany Application No. 10056056.3.  
The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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\* Please note that November 12, 2001, was a Federal holiday